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## The River Plate Times

MONTEVIDEO, 26 SEPTEMBER, 1889.

Wilkie Collins.

To-day's telegrams inform us of the death of Mr. Wilkie Collins, the well-known novelist.

The news is not surprising, as it has been known that Mr. Collins has been in failing health for some time past, although he has remained in harness up to the last, a novel of his now being in the course of serial publication in the magazines.

William Wilkie Collins was the son of William Collins, R. A., the well-known painter of rustic scenes. He was born January, 1824, and consequently reached the age of 65. After a few years in commerce he entered as a law student at Lincoln's Inn, and then took to literature. His first production was a biography of his father, published 1848.

In 1850 appeared his first novel "An-tonia or the Fall of Rome", which attracted considerable attention. He afterwards became a constant contributor to *Household Words* and to *All the Year Round*, collaborating with Charles Dickens in many of the Christmas numbers of these periodicals. The work by which he is best known, "The Woman in White", appeared in the latter magazine in 1860. His efforts as a dramatic writer were less successful than his works of fiction, the only one that held the stage for any time being "No Thoroughfare", in which Dickens had a considerable share, and which was produced by Fechter at the Adelphi Theatre.

Although a very clever and popular writer, Wilkie Collins can hardly be placed in the first rank of English novelists. His plots are marvels of intricate ingenuity, worked out with great care and skill, and he possessed a great talent for drawing eccentric and strongly marked characters, but his style was melodramatic, exaggerated and unreal, he was wanting in sympathy and pathos, and almost always chose morbid and repulsive subjects. His earliest novels were certainly the best and are likely to outlive his later books written "with a purpose", such as "The Law and the Lady" or "The New Magdalen".

Still, there is little doubt that he has made a great mark in a line he carved out for himself and in which he has few imitators and no successor. His principal works have run through many editions in English speaking countries and have been translated into the principal European languages. Apart from his intimacy with Dickens, of whom he was an ardent admirer, his life brought him into connection with many of the literary and artistic celebrities of the Victorian Era, hence his memoirs, when published, should prove of unusual interest. He was a prominent member of the Amateur Dramatic Company of which Dickens, Douglas and Blanchard Jerrold, Shirley Brooks, and other famous names of the past generation, were members.

## London Letter.

(From Our Special Correspondent.)

London, 26th August, 1889.

The continued rise of the Gold Premium at Buenos Aires, and the news of the resignation of the Minister of Finance has had a disquieting effect on the minds of the holders of Argentine securities this week and consequently there has been a semi-panic in these bonds in the last few days. This week's quotations show a general fall of about 2 points all along the line, and it is by no means certain that we have as yet seen the worst. Some financial writers are advising investors to clear out of Argentine and take up Chilean stocks. I do not endorse this. The Chilean 4½ per cent stocks are quoted 103 105, and would soon be higher were there to be many buyers following the course indicated. Much rather would I prefer to put my money into Uruguay bonds which seem now to be in a fair way to reach par before long. Though the unthinking public have been too ready in the past to class all River Plate securities as alike, it is satisfactory to note that this seems no longer to be the case, as, in spite of the decline in Argentine, Uruguayans have made a further advance during the week. Unified is quoted 74-75 as against 73½-74 last week and 1888 6 p.c.—91-92 as against 90-91.

I observe that the *Financial News* has published a leading article this week upon Uruguayan Railways, and it is remarkable that for almost the first time on record this paper has taken a favourable view of your country and its enterprises. This is significant as showing that financial opinion is veering in favour of Uruguay. It is to be hoped that your Government will act so as to confirm and take advantage of the friendly feeling towards the Republic now rapidly spreading on this side.

I have already in this correspondence testified as to the valuable services which Dr. Alberto Nin continues to render in upholding the credit of Uruguay, and making the country better known to the British public. I am sincerely glad therefore to learn that the Government has shown its appreciation of this gentleman by raising him a step in diplomatic rank, and placing him in the category of Resident Ministers. I have not yet had an opportunity of congratulating His Excellency personally, but as I learn that he has been appointed as delegate to represent the Republic of Uruguay at the International Commercial Congress at Washington, I shall certainly "interview" him before his departure.

Mr. Levey, the promoter of the International Exhibition at Montevideo, has arrived safely in London, and I have had the pleasure of conversing with him last week. He seems in the best of spirits and is confident of the success of his enterprise.

I have also had the pleasure of meeting Mr. Jenner, late British Chargé d'Affaires at Buenos Aires. I regard this gentleman as one of the most intelligent members of our diplomatic corps, and I therefore attach great weight to his opinion that there is a great field for English emigration at the River Plate. Until the Uruguayan Government, however, opens a regular information office in this country there will be little done in the sending out of emigrants to your fertile lands.

In my last letter I gave an outline of the programme of the naval manoeuvres which have been going on for the last ten days. The daily papers will have informed you that the fortunes of war have during the past week gone entirely against the "Achill" or Irish fleet. On Saturday the 17th, three of the most powerful ironclads of Admiral Baird's division were captured off Cape Ushant whilst endeavouring to sail round to surprise the English forces at the mouth of the Thames. Besides this heavy loss Admiral Bird has since had to sustain the mortification of seeing the main body of his fleet blockaded, apparently hopelessly, in Queenstown Harbour. It seems all up with them.

The decision of the Home Secretary with respect to Mrs. Maybrick has at last been made known. The queen's messengers, bearing the official announcement of her reprieve, and the commutation of the sentence to penal servitude for life, arrived at Walton gaol between one and two o'clock on Friday morning, the 23rd inst.

Seldom has a case caused so much excitement in a country as this Liverpool poisoning affair. Petitions for the woman's reprieve have been signed by hundreds of thousands, indignation meetings have been held in London and the principal towns, and the morning and evening papers have been inundated with letters from every class of individual, one working man having gone so far as to advertise in the papers that he was willing to be hung instead of Mrs. Maybrick if that would satisfy the Home Secretary!

The Maybrick Committee has held another meeting, at which it was decided to announce that it will agitate by every legitimate means in order to secure eventually a free pardon for Mrs. Maybrick. In my opinion this will be no easy task. Mr. Matthews is a man, who, to say the least of him, has the courage of his own convictions; the whole case has been tried, in private, over again by Mr. Matthews, the Lord Chancellor, two other Judges, and certain specialist doctors and they have, together, come to the conclusion that the prisoner administered or attempted to administer arsenic to her husband with intent to murder, yet the evidence does not wholly exclude a reasonable doubt whether his death was in fact caused by the administration of arsenic.

(To be continued.)

## Uruguay Republic

MONTEVIDEO, THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 26, 1889.

Saint Cyprian, Saint Justina. Relief of Lucknow, 1857, 259 days past, 95 to the end of the year.

PARLIAMENT.

In the Chamber of Representatives, on Tuesday, the scheme for the building of the "Canal General Zabala" for navigation and irrigation was discussed in general, the favourable report of the Committee of Foment having first been read. Sr. A. M. Rodriguez spoke in amplification of the report, explaining in detail certain modifications that were suggested by the Committee of Finance in order that the scheme might not prejudice the bay or interfere with future port schemes. Sr. P. Carve opposed the scheme on the grounds that it had not been sufficiently studied by the technical offices, and that it violated the rights of property and private labour. After some further remarks from Sr. Rodriguez and others the scheme was put to the vote, and was accepted in general. The Chamber then rose.

RACES.

The following entries have been made for the meeting to take place at Maroñas, October 6.

Estimado. Trotting race in sultries, 3500 metres. Fritz, Girl, Erik, Collierin.

Selección. 1750 metres. Red Fox, Candidato, Thetis, Modista, Remington, Diana, Sarandi.

Gordon. 1200 metres. Aventurero, Aguila Negra, Thetis, Tartarin, Fidalga, Madame Recamier, Política, Ametralladora, Rondador, Tilmiqué, Presidente.

Gentlemen Riders. 3500 metres. Payador, Sr. Blizen, Satan, Sr. Polanco, Bumbum, Sr. Pfeiffera, Moneda Corriente, Gavila, Sr. Previtali, Financiero, Sr. Urioste, Camilo, Oro Sellado, Sr. Marlinoz Bressque.

Event. 1400 metres. Niño, Doña Juanita, Fidalga, Honlechan, Gloria.

Sari. 1750 metres. Halcon, Artigas, Madame Recamier, Fulminante, Ametralladora, Tilmiqué, Suri.

Weights will be assigned to-day, and forfeits may be declared up to Sept. 30.

AN INSURANCE WARNING.

Apropos of the recent disastrous fire at the furniture shop a few doors from our office, we have learnt that the shop was insured in an English Company, but the policy expired only a few days before the fire. Sr. Mazzini, the proprietor, hesitated about renewing it, wishing to reduce the terms. In the mean time he was burnt out and has suffered severe loss, almost ruin. This example should prove a warning to the

uninsured or those who fail to renew their policies at the proper time.

## A CULTIVATION SOCIETY.

A society has just been formed for the plantation and cultivation on a large scale of timber trees, vines, tobacco, linseed, pea-nuts (*maní*), etc. Capital, one million dollars. The statutes have already received Government approval, and a large number of shares has been subscribed. The Directorate is formed as follows.—President, Dr. Davimiloso Terra. Vice, Sr. L. Sivory. Secretary, Dr. R. Lopez Tomba. Treasurer, D. Basso. Accountant, H. F. Luque. The society is to be called "Gran Sociedad Floreal".

## THE WINTER EVENING ENTERTAINMENTS SOCIETY.

The first rehearsal of «H. M. S. Pinafore», will be held this evening at 8 o'clock, in a room adjoining the San Felipe Theatre, entrance from Plaza Zabala, Calle 19 de Mayo, N.º 23.

All the ladies and gentlemen who have kindly promised to render assistance are most particularly requested to attend this first rehearsal.

## BRUNDS DE SALAS.

This violinist, whose marvellous performances have created quite a sensation, will appear three times more, namely, tonight, Saturday and Sunday.

## CIRCUS.

The difficulties with the Municipal Board with regard to the licensing of the circus bill in calle Yaguaron having been arranged, the Podesta-Scotti troupe will commence their performances very shortly.

## PASSENGERS.

Arrived per Royal Mail Steam Packet Company's str. "Tagus" September 25th, 1889. 1st class, Mr. Swallow, Mr. Mc. Evory, Mr. Adamson, Mr. C. F. Spencer, Mr. João Ferreira, Mr. B. Dolly, Mr. Jose Silva Vergeur, Mr. Manuel Alves da Silva. 2nd class, 3 passengers. 3rd class, 4 passengers. In transit for Buenos Aires 402 passengers.

## THE HERMANOS GOLD MINING COMPANY LIMITED.

We are authorized to state that the law suit which, as we intimated in a former issue, would be initiated against Mr. Mc Carthy by Mr. Clemente Barrial Posada, was commenced on the 20th inst.

We expect it will be a regular cause celebre, as the solution of some most important questions depends upon it.

## OPERATIC.

We learn that the enterprising empresario Sr. Giacchil has succeeded in contracting the eminent baritone M. Maurel for the next season on the River Plate. The tenors Tamagno and De Lucia will also form part of the company.

## DIPLOMATIC.

Baron Bourcier de St. Chaffray, recently appointed by the French Government as Minister to this Republic, arrived yesterday morning in the «Plata» and was met on board by the Consul and several members of the French Community. In a few days he will present his credentials to the President.

## QUARTETTE CONCERT.

The sixth and last of the series of classical concerts given by the Masi Quartette is announced for next Sunday. Although we expect the pecuniary result of these delightful concerts has not been equal to their great artistic success, we trust the result has been sufficiently profitable to encourage Sr. Masi to continue his experiment and start a new series of concerts.

## TELEGRAMS.

The following telegrams are waiting the office of the Western and Brazilian Telegraph Co. Cerrito 183. (By permission of the Co.)

Aurianda Baçagalupá—Juan F. Silva—Angelo Gallego—Gusberti—Manuel Fagelo—Fabian Lapuente—Capitan Zanelli—Arcial Dumarti—Enrique Dollagua—Márcos Aezpum—Diego Saverda—Alecio Sanguinetti—Maria Cordero—Juan Courle—Benich Grunval—Serapina D. Coll—Agustin Castro—Marcelino Gallartúa.

## Argentine Republic

## DOCKS.

Messrs. Joseph E. Wright and Co. have presented to the Government a proposal for the construction of dry docks for repairing ships on land which they propose to gain from the river and to raise four metres above low-water level. They would have a capacity for ships 130 metres in length. An access canal, 540 metres in length and 60 metres in width, with 1030 lineal metres of wharves, would also be constructed. The cost is estimated at \$8,000,000; 495,000 square metres would be recovered from the river.

## MUNICIPAL TAXES.

Councillors Carlos Gallarini, and John G. Ballesteros have proposed to the Council the suspension of taxation on all articles of food.

## INJUSTICE.

The *Diario* has received a letter from Justo Barfé who declares that for more than a month he has been imprisoned "incommunicado" in a police cell, without knowing the cause of his detention and unconscious of having committed any offence. He has a wife and seven children dependent upon him.

## MONQUET.

On Sunday morning, Dr. Zeballos, the Minister of Foreign Affairs, was entertained by the Rural Society at a banquet in their Exhibition building. About 300 members were present. Sr. Eduardo Olivera, the honorary president of the Society, occupying the chair.

In the course of his reply to the toast to his health, Dr. Zeballos said that «we have to encourage the increase and improvement of cattle, and to endeavour to make this Republic the great cattle market of the world as it is already the chief wool-producing country. The policy of the Americans consists in attracting labour for the cultivation of the soil. The United States, with a good system, have secured 20 millions of immigrants, and yet their territory cannot be compared with ours for natural riches. We possess vast zones of land whose cultivation will make the Argentine Republic the most fertile nation, thanks to agriculture and to stockbreeding which are the source of its prosperity. We have in our hands all the elements for creating a great and wealthy nation, and let us promise the Rural Society will do everything possible for colonization and to assist the immigrants in becoming land-owners under favourable conditions».

## RAILWAY NEWS.

In the House of Deputies on Monday, A. Ebelot and Co. abandoned the guarantee they asked on a line of railway from Paraná to the Paraguayan frontier. Green and Co. protest against the clause added to their railway application. A favourable report was received from Committee on the railway from Chajaro to Esquina. The following bills were passed: Guerrero and Methven's line from Santa Ana to Tucuman, from Tucuman to Resistencia from Catamarca to San Luis, from Rio IV to this city. Constela's line Ferro-Carril de Cuyo, from La Paz, Mendoza, to Navarro.

—Engineer Brederick has informed the Board of Public Works that he has transferred the Chumbicha Catamarca railway built by Messrs. Lucas Gonzalez and Co. to Mr. J. R. Tucker.

—We hear from La Plata that the Deputies' Committee have approved Messrs V. Pini and Co.'s project for a steam tramway from Calce's project to Quenquen. The Committee also urge the sanction of the following projects: Messrs Gomila and A. Castaño—Railway from Quenquen to Tres Arroyos. Messrs C. Chamussy and Co. (ad referendum contract with the Government)—railway from Puerto San Clemente to Maximo Paz Station.

—The Southern railway has decided to increase its rates 65 per cent, that is, its tariff, will be 55 per cent higher than that of the Western Railway. It wool and hides go up 55 per cent in price, we suppose the Province will not grumble much.

—Mr. J. M. Lopez proposes to build a line of railway, without guarantee from Buenos Aires to La Plata, with branches to the produce markets in both cities. The track would be double, with no sidings, and the gauge would be 1m. 65c. The line would be known as the Inter-Capital Railway.

—The National Government has approved the plans presented by the local board of the Transandine Railway, for the construction of a bridge, 75 metres span, at kilometre 62,200 in Mendoza.

## Telegrams

(HAVAS AGENCY)

Buenos Aires September 25.

Contrary to general expectation a duel took place between senators Del Valle and Salustiano Zabala, although efforts at conciliation were made to the last moment. Four shots were exchanged without either being hit. The duellists then considered honor was satisfied, shook hands and retired with their seconds.

Government has forwarded to Congress the proposed Bill for the sale in Europe of 24,000 leagues of land colonization.

The sittings of Congress will be extended to include discussion of the Budget, the military schemes, the conventions of limits with Chili and Bolivia, the reforms in the civil marriage law, the creation of new professorships, and the laying of a direct cable to Europe.

The carpenters on strike have held another meeting. Excellent order was maintained and it was decided to remain on strike, and to form an International Workingmen's Society.

The bricklayers will hold a meeting in the Plaza Constitution.

The Great Southern Railway Company has acceded to a request of its labourers for increased wages.

The Argentine Brazilian Committees have left for Misiones to make further studies on the river Jougadas.

Alejandro Aparicio has committed suicide.

The reaction in gold is attributed to the heavy differences for the end of the month, but it is looked upon as only temporary.

Paris, September 24.

The definite result of yesterday's elections is as follows:—

Moderate Republicans . . . 167  
Radical do. . . 57

Monarchists . . . 86  
Bonapartists . . . 51  
Boulangers . . . 22

Ties, estimated at—  
Republicans . . . 130  
Opponents . . . 47

Fourteen results of elections are not yet known.

Lisbon, September 24.

King Luis has gone from Cintra to try the celebrated mineral waters of Cascaes. His health is still in a serious state.

Rome, September 24.

Cardinal Placido Maria Schiaffino has just died, aged 70.

Rio de Janeiro, September 24.

The shares of the Banco Constructor del Brazil were issued yesterday, capital 50,000 contos of reis. The subscription was covered five times over in two hours. A duel has taken place between the journalists Pardo Mallet and Olavo Bilac the former being wounded in the foot.

The Chilean iron-clad «Admiral Cochrane» has arrived at St. Vincent.

Senator Francisco Belisario Soares de Souza, ex-minister of Finance has died.

The Supreme jury of the Paris Exhibition is composed of two Argentines, two Brazilians and an Oriental.

(VIA GALVESTON)

Paris, September 23.

The following prominent members of the Republican party have been elected.—M. M. Fallieres, Ribot, Jules, Roche, Gravel, Deville, Deschanel, Barbe, Sarrien and Reinach.

Amongst the oppositionists are Casagname, Lalou, Fould, Haussmann, Laguerre, Conde de Mun.

The republicans count that with 10 members in that Colonia elections they will occupy 354 seats in the new Chamber.

In Paris the Boulangers carried 4 candidates in 219 districts and the opposition party in 159. In 170 a new election will be required. The boulangers declare that the General was elected in Montmartre, and that in the districts of the Seine the votes were refused as illegal. The boulangers had 300,000 votes against 226,000 of the republicans. The result of the election shows an increase of 97,000 votes as compared with the revisionary system.

On Thursday it will be declared if Boulanger is elected for Montmartre, or if a new election is necessary.

The result of the elections has made a favourable impression on the Stock Exchange, and prices remain firm.



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| National Bank                        |               |
| 250 for end of month...              | 1614          |
| Cedulas Hipotecarias                 |               |
| 10000 \$ Set. 30 76110000 \$ Set. 30 | 77            |
| Amortizable Debt                     |               |
| 50000 \$ Set. 30 47110000 \$ Oct. 31 | 43            |
| 5000 ... ..                          | 471           |
| EXCHANGE—As follows—                 |               |
| Bank                                 | Comme rial.   |
| London.... 51 11/8 to 51 1/2         | 51 3/8 to 1/2 |
| Paris..... 51 5/8 to 1/2             | 51 3/8 to 1/2 |
| Antwerp.... 51 5/8 to 1/2            | 51 3/8 to 1/2 |
| Germany.... 51 5/8 to 1/2            | 51 3/8 to 1/2 |
| Genoa..... 51 5/8 to 1/2             | 51 3/8 to 1/2 |
| Rio Janeiro                          | 51 5/8 to 1/2 |
| Buenos Aires at par.                 | 1/16 prem.    |
| DISCOUNT..... 9 to 10 per cent.      |               |
| VALES, 11 to 12 per annum.           |               |

Buenos Aires, September 25.

First ring.

Gold, 221.

National Bank, end of month, 324.

Banco Constructor, cash, 131.

Do. end of month, 131.

Credito Real, cash, 142.

The "Minerva" sails.

According to the Bolsa telegram of the Oriental Telegraph the following was the state of Gold in Buenos Aires yesterday.

1st ring, opened 210 cash

closed 221

2nd ring, opened 220

closed 216

**BUSINESS NOTES**

—The "Apolo" brought from B. Aires yesterday \$250 gold for A. Tallach.

—Sr. H. Areco, Manager of the National Company, has bought for \$150,000 the large house on the north side of the Plaza Independencia, at present occupied by the Banco de Crédito Auxiliar.

—Sr. Dario Sarachaga has initiated the foundation of the "Banco de Crédito y Alquileres" Capital \$250,000 in \$100 shares. The Directorate is as follows:—President, Mateo Victoria; Vice, Andres Lereña; members, P. Regules, T. Villegas Zuñiga.

—To-day R. Tojeiro will sell, in the Bolsa, at 1.30 p.m., an important camp establishment of 6000 squares in San Luis, dept. of Rocha, with live stock.

—Yesterday R. Tojeiro sold 1800 squares of land between Minas, San Carlos and Rocha, at \$8.75 the square, cash.

—We are indebted to Messrs. De Lissa Crowe and Co. of 4 Bishopsgate St. Within for the following report of the home market, dated August 22—

**Galvanized Iron.** This has again advanced in price, the Manufacturers having raised it from 15s. to 25s., and as Black Sheets are rising, and Spelter is very scarce and dear, we expect to see this article advance continuously. Present quotations are

Redcliffe 24 G. 15/5 to 26 G. 16/15 to 17/4.

24 G. 15/5 to 26 G. 16/15 to 17/4.

1/2 ton fine lined Cases included.

**Fencing Wire.** There has been a good business done, and prices have advanced. We quote Ryland and other leading brands 2 1/2s. for Liverpool 2 1/2s. 0/0, varnishing extra, while German could not be procured at anything below this figure, for Hamburg or London.

**Coal.** We quote as follows:

Insoluble Merthyr D.S. 14/3 less 2 1/2 0/0, Tyne 10/0.

Ocean Merthyr do. 14/3 do.

Rates of Freight are Cardiff to Buenos Aires 33/6 c 3/4, Montevideo 28/6 2/0, Rosario 40/6 c 4/1.

**Chemicals** remain with very little change, although Tartaric Acid is somewhat lower: we quote.

Soda Crystals 2 1/2 cwt Casks £2.10. for Liverpool.

Bleach Soda 1 cwt kegs 4.12 b do.

Cream of Tartar Powder. 93/6 cwt 2 1/2.

Caustic Soda 60 o 25.15. o 0/272. £6 for Liverpool.

Tartaric Acid Powder. 1 1/2 lbs 5 o 6.

Sulphate of Copper £2.3 for Liverpool.

Alum Lump 2 1/2 cwt Casks.

Flower of Sulphur £6. 2. 6. for Liverpool.

Salt-petre 1 cwt kegs £2.10. wit.

**Sardines.** The market has been much firmer since our last, and stocks of the new pack have been readily absorbed.

We quote French at about the same prices as last viz 2 1/2 to 2 3/4 for 1/4s and 4/6 to 4/9 for 1/2s with a prospect of an advance.

**Currants.** The crop is estimated to produce about 140,000 to 150,000 tons, and the quality of the Provincials is likely to turn out above the average of last year.

Prices on the spot have advanced, Provincials being worth 14 to 15, and opening prices for new seasons are expected to rule about 1/1 above these figures.

**Candles.** An advance has taken place on these, and we now quote.

Starline 4 7/16 free Thames, 3 o 6.

Paraffine 4 7/16 free Hamburg nett.

**Sugar.** There has been very little disposition to operate in the market and quotations are almost nominal, but a decline has been established of 6d to 1/1 during the week, and we now quote.

Cables London 25/2, 26/1 Continental 24/3 and 25/3.

Granulated London 25/5 29 Continental 28/3 24/3.

**Lead.** Market is firmer and we quote.

Pigs £13 5/- Sheets £13.15.

—Live Stock Prices:

Para abasto

Vacas—pesos 15 y 34.

## Maritime

### ARRIVALS AND SAILINGS

Montevideo, September 25th.

—Str. Camilo from B. Aires, 122 pass.

—Str. Apolo from B. Aires, no pass.

—Str. Luca from Paysandu, no pass.

—Str. Victoria from R. Janeiro, 30 pass.

—Str. Ioustan from Marseilles, 8 pass.

—Str. Tranquillo from Santa Lucia.

—Str. Umberto I from Genoa 37 pass.

—Str. Lisabon from B. Aires, no pass.

—Str. Charente from Bordeaux, 50 pass.

—Str. Temerario from B. Aires, no pass.

—Str. Ortel from B. Aires, no pass.

—Str. Heracles from B. Aires, no pass.

—Str. Tagus from Southampton, with pas.

—Str. La Plata from Bordeaux, 65 pass.

—Str. Heracles from Bordeaux, no pass.

—Str. Lisabon for Hamburg, no pass.

—Str. San Gotard for Genoa, 13 pass.

—Str. Tagus for B. Aires, no pass.

—Str. Umberto I for B. Aires, no pass.

—Str. Matteo Bruzio from B. Aires, no pass.

—Str. La Plata for B. Aires, no pass.

—Norwegian barque *Loespring* from Pensacola to Bononi.

—English barque *Lizzie Wright* to order.

—Norwegian barque *Peter from Bruns-*

*wick.*

—Italian barque *Baciacini* from Swansea.

—English ship *Rietla* from Cardiff.

### SHIPPING NOTES

—The French steamer *Tibet* sailed from here on 27th August, arrived safely at Genoa on 20th inst.

—The French steamer *Porteña* sailed from Havre en route for the Plate yesterday.

—The Royal Mail Steam Packet Company's new steamer "Magdalena" left Lisbon en route for the Plate direct on Monday last at 5 p.m.

—The La Platense Co's steamer "Eolo" will start running between this and B. Aires from the 1st. Prox.

—The French steamer "La Plata" arrived yesterday, has made an exceptionally quick voyage from Rio, completing the run in 65 hours.

The Italian steamer *Victoria* which sailed from this on 4th inst arrived safely at the Canary Islands on 20th inst.

—The Italian steamer *Duchessa di* Genoa passed the Canary Islands on 20th inst en route for the Plate.

—The Spanish ironclad *Infanta Isabel* entered Cádiz dock yesterday evening to have her bottom overhauled.

—The str. *Gulf of St. Vincent* of the Greenock Line is due here from Valparaíso on 1st October.

—The steam launch *Solis* has entered the Maua dock for repairs.

—The master of the lighter *Gerónimo* has informed the authorities, that whilst delivering cargo to str. *Maskelyne* 9 sail hides fell overboard. Also the master of the launch *Pacifico*, that whilst receiving cargo from the str. *Vittoria* 2 bales of tobacco and 2 bags yerba fell overboard.

Also the master of the launch *Felipe Lussich* that whilst delivering cargo to str. *Maskelyne*, 2 bales of dried meat fell overboard.

—Shipments of Principal articles of Export from the United States and British Provinces to Montevideo during the month of July 1889.

Shipments to Montevideo direct

July 2. Bk Tongoy from Pensacola 387M. ft. pitch pine.

6. Bk Maria from Boston 75M. ft white pine, 1500 cases kerosene, 2000 bales twine, 340 pkgs Agri. Mach'y.

10. Bk Pisco from Saguenay River, 62M. ft spruce.

15. Bk Ceylon from New York, 160 c. chairs, 104 pkgs sail duck, 11,000 cases kerosene, 200 cases lard, 200 boxes spirits of Turp, 500 bbls plaster.

17. Bk Maria Luigia from New York, 15,500 cases kerosene.

19. Brig John H. Crandon from New York, 41 ft white pine, 20 oak and ash, 51 other kinds, 370 boxes chairs, 9 pkgs sail duck, 3000 cases kerosene, 250 cases lard, 185 cases plows, 135 cases saw machines, 400 boxes spirits of Turp, 2050 boxes starch, 21,357 lbs Leaf Tobacco, 30 pkgs wicking, 175 cases Lubricating oil.

24. Schr Maggie S. Hart from Pensacola 556 ft pitch pine.

25. Bk Noxton from Quebec 387M. ft spruce.

25. Bk Magne from Quebec 509 ft spruce.

25. Bk Madonna from New York, 100 boxes chairs, 102 pkgs sail duck, 5 cases lard, 80 cases mowing and reaping machines, 60 lbs mfd Tobacco, 15,000 bushels wheat.

26. Bk Harry Smith from New York, 20M ft white pine, 25M ft oak and ash, 3M ft other kinds, 134 boxes chairs, 8000 cases kerosene, 30 cases mowing and reaping machines, 60 cases plows, 200 cases spirits of Turp.

27. Bk George Davis from Boston (Loaded) 500 M ft white pine.

29. Bk Maud Scammell from New York 60 M ft white pine, 10 M ft pitch pine, 42 M ft other kinds, 12,000 cases kerosene, 200 cases lard, 413 Bbls Rosin, 200 boxes spirits of Turp, 1000 boxes starch.

29. Bk Kate Cann from Montreal 830M ft white pine.

31. Bk Restituta Madre from New York, 20,000 bushels wheat, 1,741 bbls flour.

Total shipments to Montevideo during July 1889, 1532 M ft white pine, 1518 M ft spruce pine, 935 M ft pitch pine, 45 M ft Oak and ash, 96 M ft other kinds, 605 boxes chairs, 326 pkgs sail duck, 51,000 cases kerosene, 756 cases lard, 116 No. mowing and reaping machines, 351 cases plows, 413 Bbls Rosin, 147 cases sawing machines, 1000 boxes of spirits of Turp, 3050 boxes starch, 21,357 lbs Leaf Tobacco, 60 lbs mfd Tobacco, 30 pkgs wicking.

Total shipments to Montevideo for 7 months 1889, 6279 M ft white pine, 1516 M ft spruce pine, 765 M ft pitch pine, 3 M ft Oak and ash, 2815 M ft other kinds, 330 Bbls Alcohol, 10 pkgs cassia, 4785 boxes chairs, 879 pkgs sail duck, 17650 boxes fire crackers, 162030 cases kerosene 1097 cases lard, 232 N. mowing and reaping

machines, 2089 cases plows, 2874 Bbls rosin, 702 cases sewing machines, 2285 boxes spirits of Turp, 12097 boxes starch, 550 Bbls sugar, 100245 lbs leaf tobacco, 8267 lbs mfd tobacco, 156 pkgs wicking.

### STEAMERS

#### LEAVING TO-DAY

—The str. *APOLO* will leave TO-DAY for Buenos Aires etc. Correspondence at G.P.O. till 3.30 p.m. maritime agency 4 p.m.

—The str. *AMERIQUE* will leave TO-DAY for Barcelona, Genoa and Marseilles. Correspondence at G. P. O. till 1 pm, maritime agency 2 pm.

—The str. *INCA* will leave TO-DAY for Buenos Aires, Correspondence at G.P.O. till 3.30 p.m., maritime agency 4 p.m.

—The str. *BERLIN* will leave TO-DAY for Santos, Rio de Janeiro, Vigo, Bremen and Antwerp. Correspondence at G. P. O. till 1 p.m., maritime agency 2 p.m.

#### OTHER DATES

—The str. *Araucania* will leave on 28th inst for Rio de Janeiro, Bahia, Pernambuco, Lisbon, Vigo, Bordeaux, Plymouth and Liverpool. Correspondence at G.P.O. till 10pm, maritime agency 10pm

#### STEAMERS TO ARRIVE

SEPR. FLAG NAME FROM

25 English Newcome London

26 French Chandermayor Marseilles

26 French Adour Bordeaux

26 French Matapan Bordeaux

26 English Bede Liverpool

26 Spanish Bernicarlo Barcelona

26 English Buffon London

26 Italian Agolia Genoa

26 English Tagus Southampton

26 English Zepirus London

26 English Oro Bordeaux

26 English Wadsworth Antwerp

26 Italian Vicenzo Florio Genoa

26 French Paralyba Havre

30 English Liverpool

0 English Wandie Antwerp

0 French Tacna Bremen

0 English Hawkhurst New York

#### STEAMERS TO LEAVE

SEPR. FLAG NAME TO

00 French Oronogo Bordeaux

26 French Amerique Marseilles

26 German Ceará Havre

26 German Berlin Bremen

29 Italian G.B. Lavarello Genoa

#### VESSLS IN PORT

BRITISH

Rig Name tons. Captain

Bk Craigend 2219 Hamilton

Ship Ravenshall 1664 Zeller

Ship Athena 412 Gaid

Ship Balmoral 2045 Goldsmith

Ship British Comm'd 1390 Owen

Ship River Falloch 1586 Davidson

Ship Baltic 438 Mc Bride

Ship Granite 1578 Smith

Ship Helenside 1315 Reid

Bk Beatrice 495 Edmond

Bk Morning Star 1222 Smith

Ship Don Enrique 1344 Corning

Ship City of Athens 1199 Morrison

Ship Valjejo 632 Farrell

Ship Orpheus 1462 Young

Ship Janet Cowan 1278 Mc Kay

Bk Coronilla 524 Saul

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Liverpool Louise Do.

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Cardiff Maria Parodi Do.

Cardiff Mod Do.

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Cardiff Paola R. Do.

Cardiff Queen of Cambria Do.

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Liverpool Balder Do.

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Cardiff Federico Do.

Bristol J.T. Smith Do.

Cardiff Kjelland Do.

London Lloyd Do.

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" 21 Milazzo Alimuri M. V.

" 31 Cadiz Isidra Do.

" 30 Newcastle Josef B. A.

" 21 Milazzo M. Mignano Do.

" 28 Naples P. A. Savoya R. S. F.

Aug 8 Cardiff Andre M. V.

" 2 Newcastle Ellisif Do.

" 8 Cardiff H. Lehmkuhl Do.

" 1 Antwerp Jean Pierre Do.

" 30 Newcastle Josef B. A.

" 10 Swansea Mabel Do.

" 10 Greenock Nostro Madre Do.

" 7 Barry Prince Rupert Do.

" 7 Barcelona Soberano Do.

" 8 Cardiff Vandalia Do.

" 8 London Gjallarhorn Pay'du

" 8 Newport Jane Kilgour Do.

" 2 Newcastle Aldebaran B. A.

" 4 Sunderland Casia Do.

" 2 Newport Castelar Do.

" 6 Newport Cesar Do.

" 3 Liverpool Francisco Costa Do.

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Montevideo, 8 de Setiembre 14 de 1889.

Por el Consejo de Administracion

Antonio Richard, Gerente.

INFORME DE LA COMISION DE CUENTAS

Montevideo, Setiembre 14 de 1889.

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Cumpliendo con el mandato que ustedes se han servido darme, hemos revisado con la proflijidad debida todos los libros y documentos de Constabilidad del "Banco Constructor Oriental," y podemos certificar con la mayor sinceridad que nunca nos habia sido dado ver una organizacion anterior susceptible de presentar al dia todos los comprob











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## FURNITURE REMOVALS

### Mr. Potter of Texas

A NOVEL

BY  
ARCHIBALD C. GUNTER

AUTHOR OF  
"MR. BARNES OF NEW YORK"

BOOK IV.

#### MR. POTTER TAKES THE WAR-PATH.

CHAPTER XXII.

THE FLIGHT OF THE DETECTIVE.

(Continued)

Inspired by success, for he sees that now Potter begins to be in doubt as to his identity, the sergeant proceeds to a master-stroke. With a forced smile, which his painted wrinkles make hideous, he suddenly places Snapper in the pocket of his overcoat that he knows the dog doesn't like, the one with the cold hand cuffs in it. From their chill and hard encounter Mr. Snapper recoils, whines, jumps out of the pocket, and, looking reproachfully at his master, goes back to Potter, whose pockets he knows are warm and comfortable, and have on chilling iron or steel inside them.

This seems to settle the matter, and the Texan, muttering to himself: "Great snakes! fooled again!" relapses into his seat as the train runs into Creil, the time from Chantilly to this place being only about fifteen minutes.

Creil is a great railway junction, no less than five lines coming into the station, and here Brackett determines to leave the train and try to take some roundabout route to Boulogne, anything being preferable to Potter's close proximity.

This he does with considerable coolness; for he waits till the train has but a minute or two longer to remain before he gets up and steps out of the compartment.

Now the very act of the sailor's going arouses Potter's suspicions again; besides Snapper, missing his master's presence, is apparently anxious to be after him. All this, coupled with the fact that the Texan has noticed that the man's ticket is for Boulogne, sets the frontiersman to thinking. He gets out of the carriage and stands waiting; if the sailor returns to the train he has probably mistaken his man; if not, he will follow him.

Thirty seconds after this the train steams off into the darkness, and Potter now hurries into the railway refreshment *salon* where he saw the sailor disappear.

But half a minute is a long start, and the Texan cannot discover the sailor in the buffet. He rushes out of the exit from the station to the town; no sailor. But here he begins suddenly to run, for Snapper, who has somehow got out of his pocket, sees a carriage, and is flying up one of the deserted streets of this little French town in pursuit of it.

He runs silently after the dog, taking care not to overtake him, and finding no difficulty in keeping up to him; for this old man of the prairies is as wiry as many a college athlete. He is soon rewarded.

Snapper, bounding along two or three minutes, overtakes a cab that is driving ahead of them, and jumps up and barks. Then a head is put cautiously out of the window and apparently does not see the Texan, for a voice that makes Potter's heart bound with joy says: "Hi, old doggy! we've both run away from the beggar!" The cab door is opened, and Snapper springs into the arms of his beloved master.

On this the Texan, increasing his speed also overtakes the hack and swings himself up alongside of the driver, to that individual's anger and fright; for he begins to cry out French oaths and to attempt to knock the Texan from the box. "Shut up!" mutters Potter with sententious sternness, "or you're cold clay!" But the man only screams the louder. "You don't *sabé me*, Frenchy!" returns the Texan in terrible earnest. "Perhaps you *sabé this*!" And he claps his pistol to the forehead of the fighting Jehu.

The effect of the revolver is instantaneous and tremendous. The hackman gives a shriek that would raise the Seven Sleepers, and springs over backward, falling off the carriage box, while, approaching noises warning Mr. Potter of pursuit, he whips up the horses, and goes at a terrible gallop for a minute or so. Then he suddenly pulls in the animals panting on their hanches, springs off the box, opens the cab door, and jabbing his revolver against Sergeant Brackett's heart says: "That packet you got from my son—or you're dead!"

All this has curdled the blood of the detective. He has heard the struggle on the box and what he supposes is the hackman's death-cry, and would have sprung out of the carriage himself, but the fearful speed has deterred him; therefore he has used the time in another way.

He now mutters faintly: "You can kill me, but I haven't got it."  
"Not got it?" screams the Texan. "Great Scott! my darter!" and for a moment feels sick; for at every mishap in this whole affair Mr. Potter thinks of his daughter, and it causes a weakness

that no disaster to himself could bring him.  
Just here Sergeant Brackett astounds Mr. Potter; for he mistakes tenderness for nervousness, and says in a stronger

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voice: Samuel Potts, I arrest you in the Queen's name! I've a warrant for you and requisition on the French Government. You'd better not resist, I hear *gendarmes* coming!  
Ave you mutters the Texan, grimly. Show me the documents!  
Here they are! And Brackett hands Potter two official papers, which the Honorable Sampon hastily examines by the light of the carriage lamp, while the sergeant proudly produces a pair of bright handcuffs, and arranges them for Potter's wrists.

"Yes; these are O. K.," returns the Texan, pocketing the documents.  
"Then, Samuel Potts, you're wanted! Hold up your hands!"  
"Hold up yours!"  
"My Lord!"  
"Hold up your hands! Now handcuff yourself, or I'll riddle ye! Quick!"  
"My God!"

"No back talk! You'll be dead before you hear the click of the lock! This gun's a self-cooker! That's comfortable!" concludes Mr. Potter, as Sergeant Brackett, with a smothered moan, sinks back in the hack hand-cuffed by himself with his own handcuffs, the most thoroughly astonished and dismayed detective that ever shadowed a criminal.

"Now the key to these bracelets!" demands Potter.

"I—I've dropped it. I haven't got it."

"The key, or you won't have time to say your prayers!"

"It's—it's in my trousers pocket."

"All right, I've got it!" mutters Potter, giving the handcuffs an extra snap to make sure they are well on Brackett's wrists. "And now that packet you got from my son!"

But before either of them can say more the hack is surrounded by *gendarmes*, headed by the driver of the cab that Potter had so summarily dismissed from his box.

Mr. Potter, remembering his son's advice, doesn't try to whip France; but, having made up his mind how to act, stands unmoved till the sergeant of the *gendarmes* comes up to him. Then he silently hands that officer the two warrants; and while the French policeman examines them by the light of the coach lamp, points to the name of Sergeant Brackett in the French extradition document, and pats his own breast.

(To be continued.)

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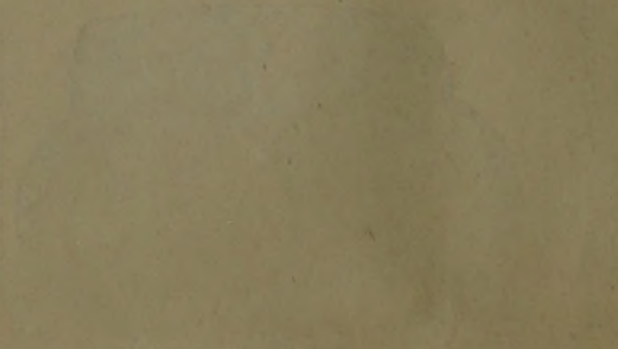
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